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SUBJECT: MEDICAL EQUIPMENT

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1. ON APRIL 30 I CALLED ON HAMID YAHYA, ASSISTANT DG OF MEDICAL SUPPLIES IN MINISTRY OF HEALTH, TO INQUIRE ABOUT PLANS FOR EQUIPPING 21 NEW HOSPITALS INCLUDED IN FY75 INVESTMENT BUDGET (PARA 6 REFTEL). YAHYA SAID MINISTRY WOULD CONTINUE ITS PRESENT SYSTEM OF ISSUING INTERNATIONAL TENDERS. IT WAS NOT IN BIG RUSH LIKE OTHER MINISTRIES SINCE HOSPITALS NOT YET BUILT. ON URGENT NEEDS, HOWEVER, HE LIKED TO GO DIRECTLY TO SPECIFIC MANUFACTURERS AND HE ASKED IF WE COULD SUPPLY HIM WITH LIST OF PRINCIPAL U.S. MANUFACTURERS OF MEDICAL EQUIPMENT.

2. IF SUCH PUBLICATION EXISTS WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING COPY FOR TRANSMITTAL TO MR. YAHYA.

3. FOR RTDO BEIRUT: I HAVE PASSED INVITATIONS AND BROCHURES ON HOSPITAL MEDICAL EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES CATALOG EXHIBITION TO MINISTRY OF HEALTH, STATE COMPANY FOR IMPORTATION OF SCIENTIFICA AND PRECISION INSTRUMENTS, AND TO MFA FOR TRANSMITTAL TO "APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS." LOWRIE

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